TRAVEL SOFTBALL LEAGUE RULES

Spring-Summer Girls Softball League 2023

- *A game clock will start at the first warm-up pitch
- *A new inning starts immediately after the third out.
- 1.) Game Time 75 minutes finish the inning.
- 2.) Tie games use international tie breaker with last recorded out on 2nd base. Up to max of 2 innings. After completing 2 extra innings, the game will be documented as a tie for regular season.
- 3.) Continuous batting order.
- 4.) Unlimited substitution
- 5.) A team must have a minimum of 7 players to start a game.
- 6.) Substitutions are allowed throughout your regular season. Only rostered players allowed in the season ending tournament and a maximum of 3 substitutions for the season ending tournament.
- 7.) Rostered players must play before substitutions. Unlimited substitutions during the regular season and maximum number of substitutions is 3 for the season ending tournament.

 Substitutions cannot pitch during the season ending tournament. REASON: with players playing multiple sports in the season, we want teams to fill a roster to avoid cancelation.
- 8.) Late players to the game may enter put them at the bottom of the lineup, no penalty.
- 9.) Players that have been removed from the line up due to injury or have to leave the field, when their bat comes, there will not be an out, just skip over. (In the event a batter is hurt and cannot finish her at bat this will be an out), if her turn at bat comes up later it will not be an out.
- 10.) No Metal Spikes, or Music is allowed on fields 4-10.
- 11.) **Run Rule:** Slaughter rule is still in effect -12, 10, 8 runs, 3, 4, 5 innings. (Optional)
- 12.) The team on the right side of the schedule is the home team. The home team reports the game score.
- 13.) Starting Monday, May 15, 2023, each field will have a game prior to your game time starting at from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm with the 4u and 6u recreation division. Please have your pre-game warm-up on the outside of the playing field and not in the outfield of their game.

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14.) FIELD PREPARATIONS The home team is also responsible for measuring the distance of the pitching mound. The base distance is 60 feet. On dirt infields no person or team is allowed to play, practice or warm-up on the infield before the game starts, especially after it has been prepared.

On turf fields teams can share an even amount of time for pre-game infield practice.

- 15.) NSA fast pitch rules shall apply. It shall be the coach's responsibility to familiarize themselves with NSA Softball Official Rules, www.playNSA.com.
- 16.) Please have all signed roster registration- waivers submitted no later than Monday, May 15, 2023
- 17.) Please report your score to: jstroia@crownpoint.in.gov or call (219) 661-2272

POINT OF EMPHASIS
No Metal Spikes, or Music is allowed on
Fields 4,5,6,7,8,9, and 10

THANK YOU